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In re Application of
NAG, Siddhartha
Application No. 10/701,017
Filed: November 3, 2003
Attorney Docket No. **6057-44003**

DECISION ON PETITION

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed March 26, 2007, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

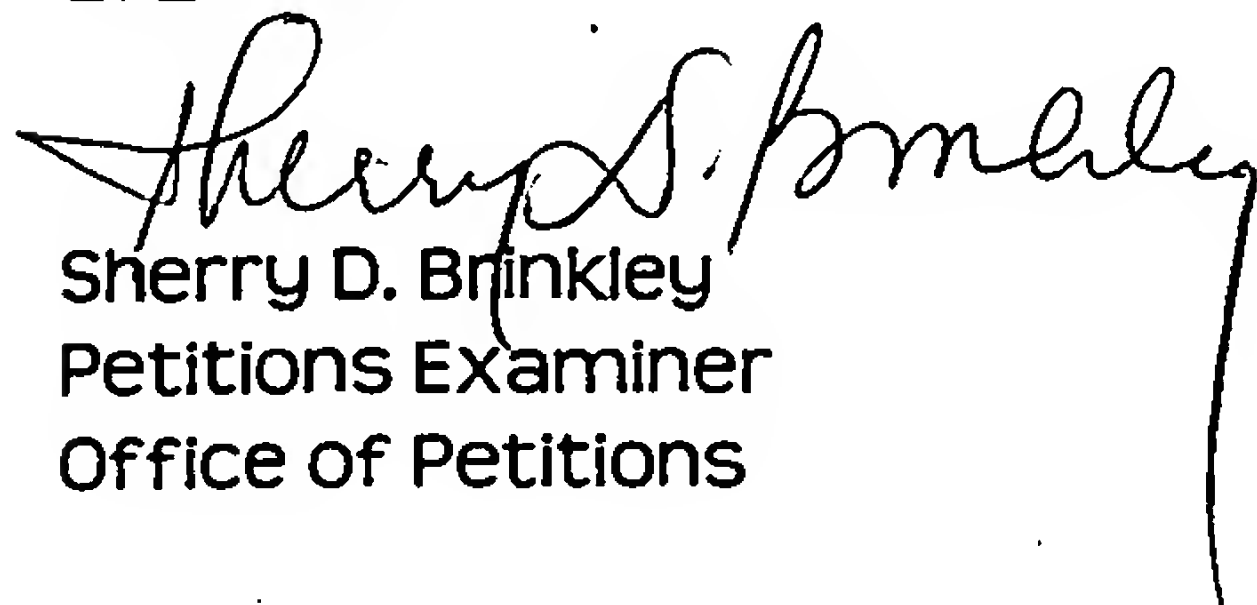
The application became abandoned for failure to reply in a timely manner to the non-final Office action mailed, August 24, 2005, which set a shortened statutory period for reply of three (3) months. No extensions of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) were obtained. Accordingly, the application became abandoned on November 25, 2005.

The petition satisfies the requirements of 37 CFR 1.137(b) in that petitioner has supplied (1) the reply in the form of an amendment; (2) the petition fee of \$750; and (3) an adequate statement of unintentional delay.

The petition is not signed by an attorney of record. Nevertheless, in accordance with 37 CFR 1.34, the signature of Mr. Ashok Tankha appearing on the correspondence shall constitute a representation to the United States Patent and Trademark Office that he is authorized to represent the particular party on whose behalf he acts. If Mr. Tankha desires to receive future correspondence regarding this file, the appropriate power of attorney documents must be submitted. A courtesy copy of this decision is being mailed to petitioner herein. However, until otherwise instructed, all future correspondence regarding this application file will be directed solely to the above-noted correspondence address of record.

The application is being referred to Technology Center Art Unit 2144 for consideration of the amendment filed March 26, 2007.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to Monica A. Graves at (571) 272-7253.


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